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NOTICE... Communications regarding advertisements, subscriptions, and other matters.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS... CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION... NOTICE is hereby given that SATURDAY next, the 11th September...

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG... ANDREW JOHNSTON, DECEASED... PUSQUANT is an Orator of Sir JOHN WOBRELL, CARRINGTON, Knight, C.M.G., Chief Justice of Hongkong...

DIVING EXHIBITION... SATURDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER... WILLIAMS, of Messrs. SIMS, GOSMA & CO., Divers, the well-known firm of Submarine Engineers, London, will give a series of DIVING FEATS...

PEAK HOTEL... 1,350 feet above sea level... A FIRST CLASS HOTEL adjoining the Tramway Terminus... FIRE HEALTHY Location, commanding magnificent view of the City and Harbour...

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION... THE following Particulars and Conditions of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the spot, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of September, 1897, at 3 p.m., are published for general information...

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FOR THE MAIL... THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS... hereby to inform and to contain the latest news, intelligence, and other matters of interest to the community...

NEW ADVERTISEMENT... COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES... PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS... FOR SHANGHAI, KOREA, AND YOKOHAMA...

NOTICE... IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR... THE SINGAPORE MANUFACTURING COMPANY... THE SINGAPORE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, having been appointed SOLE AGENTS in Hongkong for the sale of SEWING MACHINES...

JOHN WALKER & SONS... KILMARNOCK WHISKY... This World-renowned FINE OLD HIGHLAND WHISKY is shipped by CUTLER, PALMER & CO., and is available in Hongkong at the following prices...

ITALIAN HYDRAULIC LIME... GOLD MEDALS AT LEAD... THE following Particulars and Conditions of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the spot, on MONDAY, the 14th day of September, 1897, at 3 p.m., are published for general information...

EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES... JANUARY 1st, 1897... ASSETS: \$4,510,139... RESERVE FUND: \$1,145,160... SURPLUS: \$4,016,978...

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AUCTIONS... PUBLIC AUCTION... THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, (WEDNESDAY), the 8th September, 1897, at Noon, at their New Sales Rooms, 100, Queen Street, SUNDAY OFFICE FURNITURE...

AUCTIONS... PUBLIC AUCTION... THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on SATURDAY, the 11th September, 1897, at 2 30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street (The Property of Gentlemen leaving the Colony), VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE...

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CHOICE AUSTRALIAN WINES... CELEBRATED COOLATA VINEYARDS, NEW SOUTH WALES... Analyzed by the New South Wales Government and found perfectly pure, sound, and thoroughly fermented Wines...

VICTORIA DISPENSARY... Have Just Received a Fresh Consignment of PHOTOGRAPHIC REQUISITES... LITTON'S DRY PLATES, all sizes—Ordinary, Engraving, Special Rapid, Lantana Plates, WRATERS and WAINWRIGHT'S DRY PLATES—Ordinary and Drop Shutter, MARION'S SPECIAL PORTRAIT PLATES...

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO... THE PUBLIC HAVE ALREADY TAKEN THIS UP, AND IT IS GOING SPLENDIDLY... MAYPOLE SOAP... DOES NOT DYE THE HANDS... COLOURS STOCKED... Cream, Heliotrope, Pink, Canary, Mauve, Alon-Green, Light Blue, Terra-Cotta, Orange, Nut-Brown, Scarlet, Black, Cerise and Cardinal...

OLD TOM AND DRY GINS... \$7.00 Per dozen... H. PRICE & CO., (Late GARDNER, PRICE & Co.)... No. 12, Queen's Road, Central... FLETCHER & CO., THE PHARMACY... CADBURY'S SPECIAL CHOCOLATE CREMES, CADBURY'S PLAIN CHOCOLATES, PINAUX'S PERFUMES, EAU DE COLOGNE, EAU DE QUININE, &c., &c. PERFUME SPRAYS IN GREAT VARIETY...

UNITED ASBESTOS ORIENTAL AGENCY (LIMITED)... HONGKONG, CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS... UNITED ASBESTOS COMPANY, LD., LONDON, CONTRACTORS TO H. M. GOVERNMENT... BEST QUALITIES OF ASBESTOS GOODS AND PACKINGS, HYDRAULIC AND SELF-LUBRICATING PUMP PACKINGS of all kinds, "VICTOR" METALLIC BOILER JOINTS, ASBESTOS SALAMANDER BOILER COVERING COMPOSITION of the Best Qualities...

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INTIMATIONS... A TRIAL... GANDY'S BELTING... THE BEST IN THE MARKET FOR DURABILITY, STRENGTH, ECONOMY... Sole Agents: LUTGENS, KINSMAN & CO., formerly SORELL & Co., Hongkong...

CUTLER, PALMER & CO... NOTICE is hereby given that All AERATED WATER BOTTLES and SYRPHONS bearing the Company's Name and Trade Mark are its property, and that any Manufacturer using the same or any Person or Persons other than the Customers of the Firm found in possession of the same will be proceeded against accordingly...

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ARRIVALS... Sept. 6, LONGHONG, German steamer, 1235, F. Schulz, Shanghai 4th September, General—Stressmann & Co. Sept. 7, CONGO, Spanish steamer, 309, Dr. Francisco...

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**YVESDAY, ENGLISH MAIL.**  
**THE AMERICAN MAIL.**  
 The M. M. steamer *Sydney*, with the Freighter of the 19th inst., will leave Singapore on Monday, the 24th inst., at 6 o'clock, and will be expected here on about Saturday, the 1st instant. The Packet, before reply to leave detached from Hongkong on the 7th July.

**THE AMERICAN MAIL.**  
 The M. M. steamer *Belge*, with mail, will leave San Francisco on the 20th inst., and will be expected here on about Wednesday, the 8th instant.

The O. & O. steamer *Coptic*, with mail, will leave San Francisco for this port via Manila, on Monday, the 24th inst., at 6 o'clock, and will be expected here on about Wednesday, 8th instant.

**THE CANADIAN MAIL.**  
The C. P. R. steamer *Empress of Japan* arrived at Yokohama at 2.30 p.m. on Tuesday, the 24th instant, and will leave for Shanghai on the 2nd instant.

**THE INDIAN MAIL.**  
The P. & O. steamer *Albatross*, from Calcutta, Straits, left Singapore for that port on Saturday, the 4th instant, at 4 p.m.

**NINCHING PATENTERS.**  
The P. & O. steamer *Falcon* arrived at Yokohama from Hongkong on the 23rd instant.

**THE M. & O. steamer Strife**, left Hongkong for this port on the 31st ultimo.

**THE N. S. steamer Olympia**, arrived at Yokohama on Tuesday, the 23rd instant.

**THE E. & A. steamer Gulfair**, from Sydney &c., left Port Darwin on the 22nd instant, this port.

**THE Mutual steamer Odessa**, from the ground Liverpool, passed the Canal on the 21st ultimo, and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 3rd instant.

Kobe for this port on the 24th inst.

The Rickmers steamer *Helene Rickmers*, J. Middleberg, Antwerp, and Hamburg, is to sail for Calcutta on the 17th inst. and may be expected to call at Singapore on the 24th inst.

The steamer *Freehold* left Singapore on the 15th inst. and is due here on or about the 15th inst.

The steamer *Malabar*, from London, left Singapore on Saturday the 24th inst. and may be due here on or about the 16th inst.

The C. Mutual steamer *Owda*, from Suez and Liverpool, passed the Coast on the 24th inst. and may be expected to call at Singapore on or about the 15th inst.

PASSING THE CANAL.

—*RETURNING*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*—*2nd*—*3rd*—*4th*—*5th*—*6th*—*7th*—*8th*—*9th*—*10th*—*11th*—*12th*—*13th*—*14th*—*15th*—*16th*—*17th*—*18th*—*19th*—*20th*—*21st*—*22nd*—*23rd*—*24th*—*25th*—*26th*—*27th*—*28th*—*29th*—*30th*—*1st*

Each, *Norivetheatre, Alga, C'rus, La*  
**HOMERWARD**—31 September.—*Batavia, d'omien, Malacca, Niole.*

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## POST-OFFICE NOTICES

The authorised List of Mails in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is correct to a much later hour than that given below.

The Postal Guide for 1895, revised to will be found in the *Chronicle and Directory*. This is the only authorised and complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

A MAIL VAN CLOSURE

For *Hankow and Hsinchong*—*For Hongkong*—to-day, the 8th instant, at 2.30 A.M.  
 For *Straita and Bombay*—*For Malacca*—to-day, the 8th instant, at 10.30 A.M.  
 For *Manila*—*For Ceylon*—to-day, the instant, at 4.30 P.M.

For Samarang and Sourabaya.—Per *Merak*, to-day, the 8th instant, at 5.00 p.m.

For Wuchow.—Per *Wingtung*, to-day, the 8th instant, at 3.30 p.m.

For Swatow and Amoy.—Per *Siam*, to-morrow, the 9th inst., at 10.00 a.m.

For Hongkong and Amoy.—Per *Amoy*, to-morrow, the 9th inst., at 10.00 a.m.

For Yokohama and Kobe.—Per *Thames*, to-morrow, the 9th inst., at 10.00 a.m.

For Kobe.—Per *Amoy*, to-morrow, the 9th inst., at 10.00 a.m.

*Kinshu Maru*, to-morrow, the 9th instant, at 3.30 p.m.

For Bangkok.—Per *Benbow*, on the 10th instant, at 3.30 p.m.

For Singapore.—Per *Nesher*, on Friday, the 10th instant, at 3.30 p.m.

For Singapore, Samarang and Sourabaya.—Per *Oxning*, on Saturday, the 11th instant, at 10.00 a.m.

For Wuchow.—Per *Hsi*, on Saturday, the 11th instant, at 5.00 p.m.

**MAILS BY THE HOLLAND PACIFIC**  
The British Central Packet *Rosalia*,  
despatched on THURSDAY, the 8th

with Mails for the United Kingdom, Egypt and countries beyond, *via Brindisi*, &c. (containing the Mails for the Colonies, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar) 8.00 A.M. — Posting of Prices Current and similar coses.

10.00 A.M. — Registry cases.

10.30 P.M. — Posting of newspapers, books, &c. — Patrons coses.

LATE LETTERS may be posted (from A.M.) with 10 o'clock *late fee*, up to 11.30 A.M. after which hour no letters may be sent on with the same late fee.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

The United States Mail Company will be despatched on SATURDAY, the instant, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, San Francisco, the United States, &c. — Peru, &c. which will be despatched as follows:—

10.09 A.M. Registry cases.

11.09 A.M. Post Office coses, but Cover coses may be posted on board the ship with late fee of 10 o'clock extra.

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and rule of health. This preparation purges the whole system through the blood, and thereby eliminates every poisonous matter from the blood stream. It is a powerful purifier, and it cleanses the system of vitality, and all the diseases that arise arising from early errors, excess, negligence, unhealthy climates, and other causes. It is a tonic in restoring strength and vigor to the debilitated.

REMEDIAL can be procured at all the principal apothecaries of the civilized Kingdom, or by mail through the agents of the Dispensary. The purchaser should claim this of the Dispensary, and be supplied with the necessary directions. It is sold by the Government Dispensary, (see letters on p. 2nd) and generally applied to every part of the body by one of the "Anglo-Siam" Dispensary, and attending medical officers.

Sold by A. S. WATSON & Co. Limited, 10, Colong Ching and Marine.

**NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBT.**

Neither the Government, nor the American Consulate, will be RESPONSIBLE for the DEBT contracted by the Officers of the Dispensary.

of the following vessels during their  
Hongkong Harbour:  
ASSEN CONVEY Amer. ship, Michael  
Card Oil Co.  
CROWN OF EMERSON British st. P.  
and Oilman & Co.



